—By Gluyas Williams



Winning Contract

By THE FOUR ACES. (David Bruce Burnstone, Merwin D. Maier, Oswald Jacoby, Howard Bchenken, world's leading team-of-four, inventors of the system that has beaten every other system in existence.)

Bridge Swindles: No. 37 South really shouldn't have gotten 13. Norwegian

away with the swindle in today's hand, but the fact that he did make 14. German his contract even under the most unfavorable conditions shows how important it is to be on the lookout for deceptive plays. South dealer.

North-South vulnerable. AKQ N. ♡ A 6 2 W.+E.0 Q 8 7 4 3 S. 495

AKQJ8 The bidding: West. East. South. Pass

West made the "killing" opening lead of the jack of diamonds. South thought for a few seconds before he played a card from the dummy. He could run five clubs and two diamonds, and hence needed two additional tricks to make his contract. But getting those tricks would not be easy if the enemy were on their

In order to win two tricks he would have to lead both spades and hearts, giving the opponents two chances to lead. One of those chances would allow them to knock out the second stopper in diamonds; the other chance would allow them to run the diamonds. If each opponent had four diamonds, no harm would come of it; but otherwise, South would be pretty sure to lose three diamonds, and two aces.

hearts.

East should have known better, but decided to hold up his heart ace

SONNYSAYINGS



Tommy has a uncle 'at was TOOK BY A DRAFT. I sneeze in one

Corn is grown in Iran's summer

season; it is planted in May and

is harvested in the autumn. In

not planted until November, De-

cember or January. Farmers wait

until the end of the long, dry sum-

UNCLE RAY'S CORNER

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

river.

16. Effusive.

1. Hits aloft.

2. Iniquitous.

6. African

Marshy.

9. Strange.

Garland.

circle.

3. Wild fancy.

To pierce.
Timber tree.

antelopes

Ran easily.

15. Large.

AND SEE HOW FRED PERLEY WAS MANGLING HIS SLAM BID

HORIZONTAL. 1. Bulgarian 18. To quench. coin. 20. To approach. 4. Scottish 21. Sun god. Highlander. 22. Append. 8. Genus of 23. Preposition. sunfish. Beam. 12. Eggs. 29. Possessive pronoun. 30. Species of capital

35. Maxim. 37. Vehicle. 38. To wander. 39. European. 40. Upper limb. 41. Man's nickname. willow. 31. River in 42. Serf. 44. To express Siberia. gratitude to. 32. The sun.

33. Cheer.

34. Note of scale.

47. Ancient

German

51. By birth.

name.

55. Dye plant. 56. For fear

goddess.

41. Interjection.

43. Therefore.

pronoun.

emperor.

46. Solutions.

47. Palm leaf.

48. To trans-

gress.

44. Relative

45. Reman

that.

57. Dawn

tribesman.

52. Italian coin.

53. Lamb's pen-

28. Son of 17. Symbol for Adam. 29. Warm. 19. Egyptian 30. To row. astral body. 32. A few. 22. To be sick. 33. Sheep. 36. Symbol for 24. Symbol for nickel. sodium. 25. Web-like 37. West Indian native. membrane. 26. Toward the 38. Look. 40. Heavenly mouth.

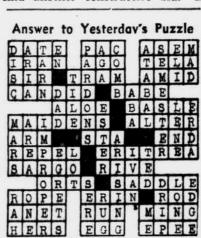
49. Prefix: Three 11. Part of a 27. Decays. 50. Poetic: It is. 43

It took South only a few seconds in the hope of shutting out dummy's you bid two no-trump, and your to see his danger and even less time heart suit. Then South knocked partner bids three spades, you will than that to find a way out of his out the spade ace and took his nine not be sure whether he is trying to troubles. He simply won the first tricks before the opponents could reach game or trying to wriggle out diamond trick and led the king of find out what had hit them. find out what had hit them. of a dangerous no-trump contract. Score 100 per cent for two clubs 50 per cent for two no-trump,

Yesterday you were Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held: and the bidding continues: Maier.

▲ 10 7 0 Q 10 5 3 *AQJ74 The bidding:

Maier. Jacoby. Schenken. You. 14 Pass (?) Answer: Bid two clubs. Game is unlikely unless your partner can find another constructive bid. If



ERITREA

-Iran Farmers' Old-Fashioned Plows

is made up of desert. Much of the rest of the country contains mountains, but there are sections where crops grow well. Even in the desert the soil is rich enough for crops if water can be provided. Near the Caspian Sea, where rice s grown, the rainfall averages 4 inches per month, but in the rest of the country there is not enough. One large section has an average rainfall of only 4 inches per year! Mountain streams help to some extent. If left to run they may go out into the desert until they dry away and are "lost." In some places tunnels have been dug to conduct water from such streams to spots where it is needed. This prevents loss of the precious water which otherwise would dry under the sun's rays or would sink in the

A group of Kurds in a little-settled part of Iran.

grow well and may be reaped in some parts wheat and barley are April, with a yield of 20 bushels for

each bushel of seed used. There are heart-breaking winters mer before sowing these grains, in which little or no rain comes because they want to have the soil down. At such times the Persian softened by rain. If good rains farmer may not obtain as much come the wheat and barley will grain as he sowed. Tomorrow: Stone Age Education.

Persian farmers are far from upto-date. They use wooden plows which are tipped with iron and which are drawn by donkeys or oxen. The same beasts are used to thresh grain by tramping on the

Question No. 707. Today you hold the same hand

What do you bid? (Answer to-

(Released by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

The CHEERFUL CHERUB

l useless well, without

Selfishness is like ;

a doubt -

It cannot hold my own joy in

But only heeps the world's joy out.

Schenken. You.

Pass

Jacoby.

3.

10

stalks after the harvest. If we visit a Persian farm we watch this method of threshing, which has been employed for thousands of years. We also observe a peasant woman turning cream into butter. Instead of using the kind of churn we know about, she shakes the cream by swinging it in a leather container.

Despite the scant rainfall, Iran produced more than a million tons of wheat in a recent year and half a million tons of barley.

(For Travel section of your scrapbook.)

If you want a free copy of the illustrated leaflet on the "Seven Wonders of the World" send me a 3-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope in care of The Evening

Boys and Girls, Read the unior Star Every Sunday.

DINKY DINKERTON

YOU DON'T KNOW HOW

IT IS ... TO HAVE THE

LOVE OF A LITTLE

CHILD, AND THEN

HAVE HIM TAKEN

DRAFTIE

AWAY FROM YOU!

(Don't miss Dinkerton's hilarious adventures in the colored comic section en Sundays.)

-By Art Huhta YOU JUST MISSED IM LOOKIN' FOR A LOST) FORTUNATELY WE ME GOT DINKY IS PLEASE HIM. HE'S PROB-SABY NAMED LOTUS BABY CALLED LOTUS DID HAVE A LOTUS EVERY CLEW IMPLORTANT COMEIN BLOSSOM SLOSSOM HERE SOME ITS GOOD BLOSSOM: DO WE HAVE ABLY TRYING TO clew for LOOSE IN I WILL A BABY BY THAT NAME IS A MOST DINKEE -HELPEE FIND YOUR MAYBE YOU FOUND ONE. ON TH' PORCH SOME HER LAST KNOWN EXERCISE SEE CHINATOWN MOST BABY RIGHT HIM FIND MY POPULAR TRYING TO ORNIN' ALONG WITH TH ADDRESS.IT MAY BABY CHOP-THIS MINUTE! NAME.I FIND LITTLE IILK AN' NOT BETHE CHOP! AM SURE LOTUS BLOSSON WE HAVE AND PA JONG S TRYING TO CONTACT DINKY !!! OH, WELL IT'S NONE OF OUR BUSINESS

SPUNKIE (There's real adventure in The Sunday Star's 16-page colored comic book.)

> YES ... I KNOW! I HAVE A LITTLE SON... IF WE WERE SEPERATED... I THINK I WOULD DE! I DO UNDERSTAND

OF YOURS, STILL IT MUST 60 INTO MY REPORT ... YOUR INCOME HAS DON'T YOU ! BEEN REDUCED WANT TO TO NOTHING! TAKE A THESE FACTS MUST BE ENTERED

...THE RETURN OF YOUR HUSBAND...WITH HIS ER, PAST ... IS BAD, TOO! THOUGH IT'S NO FAULT NO_I LIKE IT HERE! GO ON ... I'M AMUSED! JASON WON'T BUDGE ... SO ROSE CAN'T REVEAL

MY DEAR, I ASSURE YOU, I'LL DO ALL I CAN FOR YOU AND SPUNKIE WHEN I TURN IN MY REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE. IF I COULD HONESTLY SAY THERE WAS ONE WAGE EARNER IN THE FAMILY ... IT MIGHT HELP ... OH, WHY DOESN'T JASON LEAVE US? THE SECRET OF THE BOX HIDDEN IN THE FOOT REST

By Loy Byrnes NEW . MOMMY HAVE BUT, UNDER THE TAKE CARE OF CIRCUMSTANCES... SPUNKIE ... NOW I I FEAR ... PLEASE, MRS. WEEDS... DON'T TAKE CARE OF HOLD ME PERSONALLY NEW MOMMY! AMERICA RESPONSIBLE FOR. IS GREAT LAND OF OP'TUNITY ... AND ANYTHING THAT THIS MY CHANCE MIGHT ... HAPPEN!! TO DO GOOD!

-By Paul Fogarty









YOU HAD A PREVIEW OF THE DOG YEP. ON ACCOUNT OF BO HELPING TO BOOST IT, THEY LET US IN_ AND I LEARNED PLENTY ABOUT POOCHES_ SHOW



WOULD REALLY LOVE

BUT I GOT A DATE

WITH JIM TO GO TO MATTS

BUNUESS ITS WITH

FOR DINNER AND YOU

CAN'T BREAK IT-NOT

CHEE! I NEVER

SEEN SO MUCH

MONEY!





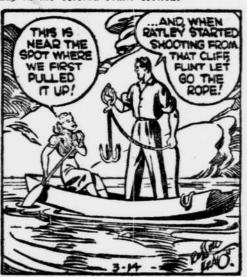
FLYIN' JENNY

BUT JENNY! THIS WOUND ISN'T SO BAD! I CAN'T LEAVE WITHOUT SHE'NG WHAT'S IN THAT TRUNK AT THE BOTTOM OF THE POOL!

YOU'VE GOT TO SEE A DOCTOR!

(Flyin' Jenny also flies every Sunday in the colored comic section.)







THE NEBBS

(You'll enjoy the Nebbs just as much in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)

-By Sol Hess WELL WILL YOU GO WITH ME? WELL SORT OF BREAK IN ON HER DATE - HOW ABOUT IT? - FINE -YOU'RE A GREAT GAL, KATHERINE __ JUST MY PAL_THANKS, MUCH!

OAKY DOAKS Trademark Applied For U. S. Patent Office

GOOD! THE MONEY

IS ALL HERE, NELLIE

SAY PEARL WHAT ARE YOU DOING TOMORROW NIGHT? WERE

ALL GOING BOWLING AND THEN CHOP SUEY _- HOW ABOUT YOU?

(Don't miss'The Sunday Star's 16-page colored comic book.)

GIDDAP! WE'LL

GET WILMA,

SAY GOODBYE

TO THE CALIP

AND START

YES_HELLO, IS THIS THE SAN MORITZ ? YES, GIVE ME PARLOR -YES_YES, IS THIS YOU, MR. FLINT ? I HAVE POSITIVE INFORM ATION, THAT PEARL WILL BE AT MATT'S TOMORROW NIGHT FOR DINNER_NO, I WONT BE WITH HER

R8. FULLER



MUTT AND JEFF

SO I TOLD MRS.

VANDERPAN I

(Watch for Mutt and Jeff's laughable escapades in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)

So

WHAT



—By Bud Fisher







- SO THEN SHE

